



**Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service  
Emergency and Domestic Programs – Program Update**

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**Program:** *Phytophthora ramorum*

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## **November Report**

### Federal Order, State Inspection, Nursery Survey and Other Finds (Excluding Residential)

Sixty-one positive sites in eleven states have been identified through the Federal Order, State Inspection, Nursery Survey, and/or other finds.

### Nursery Survey

As of the most recent reports, forty-six states have reported Nursery Survey results; Alaska, Iowa, Missouri, Wisconsin, and Puerto Rico are not participating in the National Survey; Wisconsin is looking for *P. ramorum* as part of their regular nursery inspection; 4,852 nurseries have been visited and 145,924 samples collected. Of the samples collected, 392 have been confirmed positive.

### Forest Detection Survey

The United States Forest Service (USFS) and States are conducting nursery perimeter and general forest detection surveys. As of October 16<sup>th</sup>, USFS reports 637 nursery perimeter surveys in 29 states with 1842 samples collected. USFS also reports 366 general forest surveys have been conducted in 29 states, with 922 samples collected.